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Utah International Cedar City Operation Mr. York Jones 228 South 800 West Cedar City, Utah 84720

RE: Surety Release Request
Utah International, Cedar
City Operation
ACT/021/001
Iron County, Utah

## Dear Mr. Jones:

Based upon the results of our March 21, 1984 phone conversation and a recent review of the Division's files, the following procedures are recommended regarding your request for surety release:

- 1. Division biologists have recommended that an inspection of the property be arranged this May to observe revegetation success pursuant to standards outlined in Rule M-10 (12) of the Mined Land Reclamation Act.
- 2. If the inspection results indicate that specific reclaimed acreage meets the established reclamation standards, and if these areas will no longer be utilized for mining activities by Utah International, then this acreage can be released by the Division.
- 3. The area(s) around the plant site(s) which will remain temporarily unreclaimed, will be assessed for current reclamation costs and the total amount will be incorporated into the surety contract for which Utah International will still be responsible. The present figure is \$974,370.

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- 4. If these adjustments can be performed without altering the present contract, the Division will do so. If not, a new one must be prepared and submitted to the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining for approval at the earliest possible date.
- 5. The Division will arrange for all appropriate technical staff members to meet with you on-site in the near future.

Please contact Mr. James Smith, the Division's Coordinator of Mined Land Development, to arrange an appropriate date for the trip. If I have omitted any details or can be of further assistance please call.

Sincerely,

Thomas N. Tetting Engineering Geologist

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